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MAIL STOP FEE AMENDMENT  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
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Re: Jan Bastiaan BOUWSTRA and Yuzo TODA  
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Claiming Priority of EPA 02078745.3 Filed: September 11, 2002  
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Confirmation No. 6068  
"USE OF RECOMBINANT GELATIN-LIKE PROTEINS AS PLASMA EXPANDERS AND COMPOSITIONS SUITABLE FOR PLASMA SUBSTITUTION"

SIR:

We enclose herewith:

- Petition for Extension of Time;
- Amendment;
- Information Disclosure Citation;
- Check for \$120.00 (1 months' extension);
- Check for \$180.00 (submission of IDS);
- Acknowledgment Postcard.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of the fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 080570.

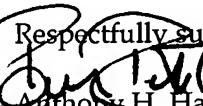
The applicants hereby petition under 37 CFR 1.136 or other applicable rule to have the response period extended the number of months necessary to render the attached communication timely if a petition is required.

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Respectfully submitted,

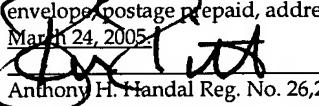
  
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